

IOWA MENTAL HEALTH AND DISABILITY SERVICES (MHDS) COMMISSION 2021

MEMBER E-MAIL ADDRESS PHONE	ADDRESS	TERM	SERVING	REPRESENTS
Betsy Akin Betsy.akin78@gmail.com	Corning, IA	05/01/20 to 04/30/22	1 st Term	Parent or Guardian of an Individual Residing at a State Resource Center
Teresa Daubitz Teresa.daubitz@gmail.com	Cedar Rapids, IA	05/01/19 to 04/30/22	1 st Term	Service Advocate (Unity Point)
Diane Brecht dbrecht@abbehealth.org	Central City, IA	05/01/20 to 04/30/23	1 st Term	ID/DD Providers – Iowa Association of Community Providers
Janee Harvey Jharvey1@dhs.state.ia.us	Des Moines, IA	05/01/20 to 04/30/23	1 st Term	Department of Human Services
Shari O'Bannon Slwo1956@gmail.com	Storm Lake, IA	05/01/19 to 04/30/22	1 st Term	Parent of a Child Consumer
John Parmeter parmeter@msn.com	Des Moines, IA	05/01/15 to 04/30/18 05/01/18 to 04/30/21	1 st Term 2 nd Term	Provider of Children's MHDD Services (Orchard Place)
Timothy Perkins Timothy.perkins2@va.gov	Johnston, IA	05/01/20 to 04/30/22	1 st Term	Veterans
Maria Sorensen sorensenstudios@yahoo.com	Greenfield, IA	05/01/19 to 04/30/22	1 st Term	Consumer
Cory Turner cturner@dhs.state.ia.us	Cherokee, IA	05/01/19 to 04/30/22	1 st Term	DHS Director's Nominee (Superintendent of Cherokee Mental Health Institute)
Russell Wood rwood@co.franklin.ia.us	Hampton, IA	07/01/18 to 04/30/21	1 st Term	Regional Administrator
Richard Whitaker whitakerr@verafrenchmhc.org	Davenport, IA	05/01/18 to 04/30/21	1 st Term	Community Mental Health Center (Vera French)
Lorrie Young lyoung@prairieridge.net	Mason City, IA	07/01/18 to 04/30/20 05/01/20 to 04/30/23	1 st Term 2 nd Term	Substance Abuse Service Provider; Behavioral Health Association

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Senator Jeff Edler jeff.edler@legis.iowa.gov	State Center, IA	01/11/21 to 01/08/23	2 nd Term	Senate Majority Leader (non-voting)
Representative Dennis Bush Dennis.Bush@legis.iowa.gov	Cleghorn, IA	02/11/21 to 01/08/23	1 st Term	Speaker of the House (non-voting)
Senator Sarah Trone Garriott Sarah.Trone.Garriott@legis.iowa.gov	Windsor Heights, IA	02/19/21 to 01/08/23	1 st Term	Senate Minority Leader (non-voting)